$P\text{-}407,\,413,\,430,\,407,\,405,\,426/CP\text{-}88\text{-}856\text{EXTENDING TIMELINES}$

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Darrel L. Peterson
Cynthia A. Kitlinski
Norma McKanna
Robert J. O'Keefe
Patrice Vick
Commissioner
Commissioner
Commissioner
Commissioner

In the Matter of the Petition of Certain Subscribers in the Montrose Exchange for Extended Area Service to the Minneapolis/St. Paul Metropolitan Calling Area

ISSUE DATE: January 2, 1990

DOCKET NO. P-407, 413, 430, 407, 405,

426/CP-88-856

ORDER EXTENDING TIMELINES

PROCEDURAL HISTORY

On August 16, 1989 the Commission issued its ORDER REQUIRING FILINGS, VARYING TIME REQUIREMENTS, AND NOTIFYING PARTIES OF THE COMMISSION'S INTENTION TO TAKE OFFICIAL NOTICE OF CERTAIN EVIDENCE AND FINDINGS OF FACT IN ANOTHER DOCKET. That Order is attached to and served with this one.

On November 13, 1989 one of the affected telephone companies, Lakedale Telephone Company (Lakedale), filed a request for a three-week extension of time in which to make a traffic study filing required under the Order.

It was subsequently discovered that, through inadvertence, the Order had not been served on all parties. Consequently, several parties failed to make required filings within the time frames established in the Order.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

The Commission finds the most efficient way to proceed, given the service failure, is to amend the time frames of the August 16 Order to begin today. Amending the time frames in this manner will also result in Lakedale receiving the requested extension of time.

The Commission will so order.

<u>ORDER</u>

- 1. All parties to this proceeding shall make the filings required under the August 16 Order, which is attached and served with this one, within the time periods specified. Those time periods, however, shall run from the date of this Order, not from August 16.
- 2. This Order shall become effective immediately.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Lee Larson Acting Executive Secretary

(SEAL)